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1. ON 28 JANUARY 1965 CECILIO VAZQUEZ, CONFIDANT OF ELOY GUTIERREZ MENOYO, MILITARY LEADER OF THE SEGUNDO FRENTE NACIONAL DEL ESCAMBRAY (SFNE, SECOND NATIONAL FRONT OF THE ESCAMBRAY), OUTLINED THE PROCEDURE WHICH THE MRP - ALPHA-66 - SFNE ALLIANCE IS TO FOLLOW WHEN THE TIME COMES TO ANNOUNCE GUTIERREZ' PRESENCE IN CUBA.

2. "IN ABOUT 30 TO 40 DAYS" THE ALLIANCE IS TO CALL A PRESS CONFERENCE IN MIAMI TO ANNOUNCE OFFICIALLY THAT GUTIERREZ IS IN CUBA. OUT-OF-TOWN NEWSMEN WILL BE INFORMED OF THE CONFERENCE ABOUT FIVE DAYS PRIOR TO THE EVENT TO GIVE THEM TIME TO ATTEND.

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3. THE ONLY "PROFF" THAT GUTIERREZ IS IN CUBA WILL BE "PHOTOS OF GUTIERREZ AND HIS MEN INSIDE CUBA." VAZQUEZ SAID THEY DID NOT EXPECT TO MAKE KNOWN ANY MILITARY FEAT BY GUTIERREZ, JUST HIS PRESENCE IN CUBA.

4. TED EDDIGER, AP CORRESPONDENT IN MIAMI, AND LA PRENSA, A SPANISH-LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN NEW YORK CITY, ARE TO BE GIVEN "THE BEST PHOTOS." EDDIGER GAVE GUTIERREZ A NEWS PHOTOGRAPHER'S CAMERA BEFORE HE LEFT MIAMI AND LA PRENSA HAS BEEN MOST COOPERATIVE IN PRINTING ALLIANCE NEWS RELEASES IN THE PAST.

5. AFTER THE NEWS CONFERENCE A NEW YORK TIMES CORRESPONDENT IS TO BE EXTENDED A PRIVATE INVITATION TO VISIT GUTIERREZ IN CUBA. HE WILL BE TRANSPORTED THERE AT ALLIANCE EXPENSE AND WILL BE ASSURED THAT THE TRIP "WILL BE SAFE, WITH A MINIMUM OF RISK." VAZQUEZ TALKED OF TRYING TO INTEREST TAD SZULC OF THE NEW YORK TIMES IN MAKING THE TRIP. IT IS FELT THAT THE TIMES WILL ACCEPT THE OFFER TO "PULL A SCOOP" AND SEND A STAFFER. IT HAS BEEN DECIDED TO ACCORD THIS INVITATION TO THE TIMES BECAUSE IT IS FELT THAT THIS NEWSPAPER IS THE MOST RESPECTED IN THE WORLD. THE ALLIANCE WANTS THE PRESTIGE OF THE TIMES COVERAGE WHEN WORD OF GUTIERREZ' EXPLOITS IS MADE KNOWN THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

6. FIELD COMMENT: THE SAME SOURCE PREVIOUSLY REPORTED THAT VAZQUEZ HAD ADVISED THAT IN ABOUT EARLY FEBRUARY, WHEN GUTIERREZ CARRIES OUT SOME TYPE OF ACTION INSIDE CUBA, A PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT WOULD BE MADE. VAZQUEZ SAID THIS NEWS WOULD BE DIVULGED BY THE

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